

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3218
ANSWERED ON:19.03.2001
INTER-STATE ROAD FROM C.R.F.
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh Governments have submitted any memorandum seeking financial assistance from the Central Road Fund Account for the development of inter-State roads passing through Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh ;
- (b) if so, the amount collected during 2000-2001 so far from cess on petrol and diesel towards road development in Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) the amount proposed to be allocated for inter-State road development out of the above amount; and
- (d) the decision taken on the above proposal of the Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh Governments?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (MAJOR GENERAL (RETIRED)
KHANDURI, AVSM)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) & (c) For the development and maintenance of State roads, Ministry of Finance provided Rs. 990 crore during the year 2000-2001, out of which Rs. 81.61 crore and Rs. 57.50 crore have been earmarked for Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka respectively. No amount was provided for Inter-State road development during the year 2000-2001.

(d) Does not arise.